ORDINANCE NO. 2009-13

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 18-107 OF THE TOWN CODE TO ESTABLISH NEW TAP FEES AND DELINQUENT FEES IN THE WATER RATES WITHIN THE TOWN OF SIGNAL MOUNTAIN.

WHEREAS, The Town Council is authorized by Signal Mountain Town Code \$18-107 to adopt rate schedules for water rates from time to time by appropriate resolution or ordinance which reflect operating costs and bond interest and redemption costs incurred by the Town; and

WHEREAS, All water within the Town of Signal Mountain is authorized to be supplied exclusively by the Town subject to such water rates; and

WHEREAS, Article IV of the Signal Mountain Charter requires that legislative action of the Council shall be by Ordinance when regulating the rate charged for its services by a public utility, fixing fees, service charges and utility rates; and

WHEREAS, The Town Council believes that including all new Water Department Tap Fees and Delinquent Bill Fees within Section 18-107 of the Town Code is necessary to establish the rates charged for such fees by Ordinance.

SECTION 1. NOW, THEREFORE, be it ordained by the Town Council of the Town of Signal Mountain, Tennessee that Section 18-107 is deleted in its entirety and the following language is substituted in lieu thereof:

Section 18-107. Schedule of Rates.

The following rate schedules for tap fees and delinquent water and sewer service charges have been adopted by appropriate ordinance or resolution:

Tap Fees:

Size	Fee
5/8"	\$900
3/4"	\$900
1"	\$1100
2"	\$3000

Delinquent Bill Fees:

Offense	Fee
Turning water back on	\$25.00
Locking or pulling meter when turned on by	\$50.00
customer	
Turning water on after	\$100.00
hours	

SECTION 2. That this Ordinance shall become effective immediately from and after its passage as provided by law.

Passed First Reading	6/8	, 2009
Passed Second Reading_	6/29	, 2009

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